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Confirmation No. <b>3777</b>	

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This paper is to summarize the interview conducted with Examiner Muhammad Akbar on March 4, 2008 with Applicant's representative Ari G. Akmal.

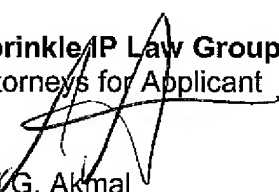
Summary

On March 5, 2008, Ari G. Akmal held a telephone conference with Examiner Akbar regarding Claim 1 and the differences between Claim 1 and the Sugar et al. prior art, and possible claim amendments. No agreement was reached.

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